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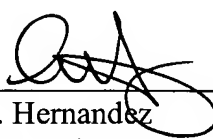
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action mailed June 15, 2006, applicant elects the invention of
Group 1A. Applicant asserts that claims 37-40 are readable thereon. The election is made
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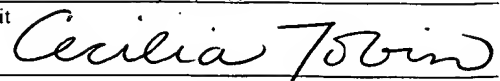
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